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House Resolution No. 4709

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself as a leader of her community; and

Whereas, Lezah Stenger, an esteemed resident of Springfield, Missouri, is a proud recipient of the prestigious Silent Hero Award; and

Whereas, Lezah Stenger is the owner and President of Stenger Homes, LLC, a custom residential building company that was established in 1987, since which time it has built homes in southwest Missouri valued at more than \$19 million; and

Whereas, a partner in Springfield Land, Lezah Stenger has also served as a design consultant to several of the most successful residential subdivisions in Springfield including Spring Creek, Quail Creek, Stone Meadow, IronBridge, Lions Gate, and Wild Horse; and

Whereas, a graduate of Stephens College in Columbia, Lezah Stenger is the owner and principal of various closely held partnerships, corporations, and limited liability companies; and

Whereas, Lezah Stenger has compiled an enviable list of service to her community through her support of the Home Builders Association of Greater Springfield, Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce, Community Foundation of the Ozarks, the Junior League, King's Way United Methodist Church, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A., and the Ozarks Chapter of the American Red Cross; and

Whereas, Lezah Stenger has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her devoted husband of forty years, Ronald; her four children and their spouses, Stephanie and Scott Montgomery, Shannon and Jamie Sivils, Zack and Tricia Stenger, and Stu and Arlene Stenger; and her thirteen grandchildren, Luke, Walker, Ashley, Andy, Ronnie, Jackson, Grant, Gracie, Lauren, Kate, Colin, Annabel, and Chloe:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Lezah Stenger at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Silent Hero, Lezah Stenger.

Offered by

Representative Bob Dixon District No. 140

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4709, adopted September 11, 2007.